

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Katsumi SHIBAYAMA)	Confirmation No.: 4347
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Application No.: 10/550,689)	Group Art Unit: 2814
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Filed: July 21, 2006)	
)	Examiner: Anh D. Mai
For: PHOTODIODE ARRAY AND)	
RADIATION DETECTOR HAVING)	
DEPRESSIONS OF)	
PREDETERMINED DEPTH FORMED)	
IN REGIONS CORRESPONDING TO)	
THE REGIONS WHERE THE)	
PHOTODIODES ARE FORMED IN)	
THE SEMICONDUCTOR)	
SUBSTRATE (As Amended))	

Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendment
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 3, 2009, the period for response to which extends through October 5, 2009 (October 3, 2009 being a Saturday), by the concurrently-filed petition for a one-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment, please amend the above-identified application as follows: